Other Nonutility Generators (including Independent Power Producers) without a designated franchised service area, and which do not file forms listed in the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 18, Part 141." For the purposes of this screener questionnaire EPA has defined other nonutility generators to include independent power producers (IPP) which are wholesale electricity producers other than qualifying facilities under Public Utility Regulatory Policy Act (PURPA), that are unaffiliated with franchised utilities in the area in which the IPP's are selling power and that lack significant marketing power. IPPs do not possess transmission facilities and do not sell power in any retail service territory where they have a franchise.

Finally, EPA will maintain a temporary, no-charge telephone number that survey recipients may call to obtain assistance in completing the data collection surveys. EPA believes that the no-charge telephone number will greatly reduce burden by helping recipients to answer specific questions within the context of their individual operations.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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Open Meeting of the Industrial Non-Hazardous Waste Stakeholders Focus Group

AGENCY: U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

ACTION: Notice of open meeting of the Industrial Non-Hazardous Waste Stakeholders Focus Group.

SUMMARY: As required by section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92–463), EPA is giving notice of the fifth meeting of the Industrial Non-Hazardous Waste Policy Dialogue Committee, also known as the Industrial Non-Hazardous Waste Stakeholders Focus Group. The purpose of this committee is to advise EPA and ASTSWMO (the Association of State and Territorial Solid Waste Management Officials) in developing voluntary guidance for the management of industrial non-hazardous waste in landfills, waste piles, surface impoundments, and land application units. The Focus Group will facilitate the exchange of information and ideas

among the interested parties relating to the development of such guidance. The purpose of the fifth meeting will be to continue discussion of issues related to the development of such guidance. Issues to be discussed include land application, corrective action, potential air emission risk tools/controls, and additional ground-water modeling/risk results (i.e., leachate concentration threshold values for the Tier I national approach and the user interface screens associated with the Tier II location adjustment approach). In addition, time will be set aside on the agenda to receive Focus Group comments on additional chapters that have been previously discussed within the Focus Group. There will also be a short presentation of the CD-ROM being developed as part of this project. The CD-ROM will be the electronic version of the voluntary guidance being developed. There will be an opportunity for limited public comment at the end of each day of the meeting.

DATES: The committee will meet on October 8 and 9, 1997, from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on October 8, and from 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. on October 9.

ADDRESSES: The location of the meeting is the Hotel Washington, 515 15th Street, NW, Washington, D.C. 20004. The phone number is 202–638–5900. The seating capacity of the room is approximately 60 people, and seating will be on a first-come basis. Supporting materials are available for viewing at Docket #F-96-INHA-FFFFF in RCRA Information Center (RIC), located at Crystal Gateway One, 1235 Jefferson Davis Highway, First Floor, Arlington, VA. The RIC is open from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding federal holidays. To review docket materials, the public must make an appointment by calling (703) 603-9230. The public may copy a maximum of 100 pages from any regulatory docket at no charge. Additional copies cost \$.15/page. The material to be discussed at the October Focus Group meeting will be available for viewing in the above docket on and after September 24, 1997. For general information, contact the RCRA Hotline at 1-800-424-9346 or TDD 1-800-553-7672 (hearing impaired). In the Washington metropolitan area, call 703-412-9610 to TDD 703-412-3323.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Persons needing further information on the committee should contact Paul Cassidy, Municipal and Industrial Solid Waste Division, Office of Solid Waste, at (703) 308–7281.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

EPA and ASTSWMO have formed a State/EPA Steering Committee to jointly develop voluntary facility guidance for the management of industrial nonhazardous waste in land-based disposal units. The purpose of the guidance document is to provide a guide to facility managers so that they can provide safe industrial waste management. The guidance document will address such topics as appropriate controls for ground-water protection, liner designs, air emissions, run-on/runoff, public participation, daily operating practices, monitoring and corrective action, and closure and post-closure considerations.

The State/EPA Steering Committee has convened this Stakeholders Focus Group to obtain recommendations from individuals who are member of a broad spectrum of public interest groups and affected industries. All recommendations from Focus Group participants will be forwarded to the State/EPA Steering Committee for considerations, as the Stakeholders' Focus Group will not strive for consensus. The State/EPA Steering Committee will also provide an opportunity for public comment on the draft guidance document.

Copies of the minutes of all Stakeholders Focus Group meetings will be made available through the docket at the RCRA Information Center, including minutes of the previous four Focus Group meetings, which were held on April 11–12, 1996, September 11–12, 1996, February 19–20, 1997, and May 20–21, 1997.

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Matthew Hale,

Acting Director, Office of Solid Waste.
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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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Proposed Administrative Order on Consent; Denver Radium—Operable Unit VIII Site, Denver County, CO

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA).

ACTION: Proposed section 122 (g)(4) and (h)(1) settlement.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the requirements of section 122(g)(4) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability